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Crossfield Chronicle Office.

Local and General

Mrs. F. Mossop was a visitor to Crossfield last week end.

A large framed photograph of the late Lieut. Col. Boyle, subscribed for by the children of the Primary room, has been hung in an honored position at our local school.

The coal shortage is fast becoming a problem in town again. It is reported the C.N. Ry. Co. have placed an embargo on all coal on their lines thereby keeping the coal from points on the C.P.R. line.

The wives of five or six of our local soldier boys are contemplating a visit to the old country at the beginning of next month.

Our local soldiers are over on a four days leave of absence, this will probably be their final visit home before leaving for overseas, which they expect to do at an early date.

A Social Supper and Dance will be held in the Inverlea School House on the evening of Friday, Dec. 8th.

W. F. D. Jones, of our local bank is the latest to have heard his country's call for men. He went down to Calgary on Monday last and signed on with the 187th Batt. He will report for duty on Friday afternoon.

Church of the Ascension.—The Service on Sunday the 26th inst will be in the evening at 7-30, and will be conducted by the Rev. Major Hopkin, Garrison Chaplain, who is well known in the Crossfield district and throughout the province.

There will be a Dance and Auction Sale in the Beaver Dam Schoolhouse, on Friday night, Dec. 1st. Proceeds in aid of the Patriotic Fund.

Everybody come and help a good cause.

Three or four of the Crossfield men of the 187th are repining their hard luck, having been turned down for being over the age limit. They have, however, the consolation that they tried to do their bit.

The next meeting of the Women's Institute will be held on Saturday, Dec. 2nd. This being the annual meeting the election of officers will take place, and it is important that there is a full attendance of members.

Have you seen our Sample Book of Christmas Cards yet. Early, you say! Well, its only a short time to Christmas. You will do well to get your order in at once, as the best cards get run through in good time, so you would do well to call early.

A farewell supper and dance was given to our local boys of the 187th Batt. on Thursday evening. The hall was crowded to its utmost capacity. Dancing was indulged in until the break o' day. Our local boys will leave with pleasant memories of their farewell visit. And take with them the good wishes of the whole community.

For Sale.—Buggy with pole and shafts. Also single set of Harness. Apply Mrs. W. A. Wilson, Crossfield.

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For Sale, 25 R.C.R.I. Reds Pullets, at 50c. each; 25 R.C.R.I. Reds Hens, at 75c. each. J. A. Sackett.

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Red Cross Notes.

The Red Cross Society acknowledges with thanks the following donations and work:

Crossfield Sewing Circle Tea \$3.25
Inverlea " " 4.15
Riba " " 2.30
Heaver Dam " " 1.45
Work: Inverlea 75 T bandages, 4 M.-T. bandages, 2 trian. bandages.

Elba: 28 T bandages, 3 M.-T. bandages, 5 trian. bandages, 5 pillow slips, 1 apron, 1 shirt, 1 pair of socks.

Heaver Dam: 12 M.-T. bandages.

Miss Kidd, 1 pair socks.

Crossfield: 29 T bandages.

Mrs. Wicks, 1 day shirt.

" Ontkes, 6 trian. bandages.

" Haynes, 1 day shirt.

" M. Thomas, 4 trian. bandages.

" W. McElroy, 2 pairs socks.

This week the Sewing Circle will meet at the home of Mrs. Wicks, and next week with Mrs. Gemmill.

Chicken Supper

The Annual Chicken Supper and Concert in connection with the Ladies' Aid of the Union Church, took place on Friday evening last, and was a decided success in every way. A large number sat down to and thoroughly enjoyed the repast supplied. After which an adjournment was made to the church, and an enjoyable programme was gone through. The following took part: solos were given by Mrs. Birch and Mr. Jose, recitations by Rev. H. M. and Mrs. Horricks, Miss E. Landy, more and Miss A. Frazer, also violin solo by Mr. S. Willis. Miss M. Creighton was the accompanist. A dialogue entitled "Coirting under Difficulties," and Shadowgraph Sketch was given by a party from the Church. Mr. F. Purvis occupied the chair. A nice round sum was the net result to be used for the carrying on of the work of the church.



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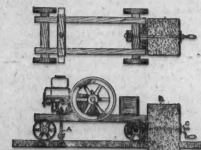
A Sitting of the DISTRICT COURT will be held at CROSSFIELD, on FRIDAY, DECEMBER 1st, commencing at 10 a.m.

D. A. G. BROWNING,
Deputy Attorney General.
Dated at Edmonton,
20th November, 1916.

FOUNDATIONS FOR ENGINE

Gasoline Engine Clamped Securely To Concrete Base

Varied service demanded of a gasoline engine required that it be mounted upon a truck so that it could be readily transported. This arrangement did not, however, render the engine stable enough for very heavy duty in a shop, and the concrete foundation and clamping device shown was arranged to secure the truck. The truck is drawn against the block



B, and clamped in the hook and eye at A. The eye is fixed in the floor and swings on a rod imbedded in the concrete. The hook A is fastened by means of a nut at its upper end. The axle of the truck nearest the block B is clamped behind a pivoted wooden block, which is drawn up securely by the threaded bolt and crank C. If properly adjusted, this arrangement holds the engine firmly enough for heavy duty and long belt connection to the driving pulley.—Popular Mechanic.

Jimmie's Pluck.....

How a Canadian boy rescued his brother and captured a pair of bush robbers.

By R. G. PAIGE

JIMMIE McPherson threw the big awful of wood behind the cabin stove and pursing up his lips blew upon his fingers.

"Say! but it's cold!" he shivered, "do you think it's likely to moderate before mornin', dad?"

The man stretching a mink skin, before the fire, shook his head.

"I'm afeared not, son," he answered, "she usually lasts for three days, this cold spell; to-morrow night now should see her back broken, but she'll like be bitter cold again to-night. You best put on the kettle, Jimmie; Bob will be comin' in soon cold and tired after trampin' nine miles through the woods."

"I've been wonderin' if he would come tonight," observed Jimmie, as he hastened to all the tin kettle from the water bucket and place it in the stove to boil, "maybe the cold will hold him at the Settlements till to-morrow, dad?"

"Not likely," said the father, "that money he will get for the work we did last fall in Wilson's slashing will simply burn his fingers till he turns it over to me to take care of. He hates carryin' a big sum of money around and one hundred and fifty dollars is quite a lot of money, son."

"It is," agreed Jimmie, gravely. "Gee, dad," he laughed, "think what I could buy with that sum; a new rifle and a lot of ammunition and a suit of store clothes and a blanket, and—"

"Hold on, hold on," laughed the man, "what in the world would you do with store clothes 'way up here in the woods?"

"Wear 'em," answered Jimmie, "put 'em on and pretend I was in the city, say," he chuckled, "I'll bet any time the dogs wouldn't know me 'I was dressed up, dad."

"Oh, they'd know you like enough," said the father, "but they wouldn't be very friendly with you, Jimmie. Bean dogs they like store clothes over much; they like smoker old buck skins better. Better lift the kettle off, son," he admonished, "she's boilin' over."

"It's gettin' dark," observed Jimmie, as he placed the stove lid beneath the kettle, "hark! it time Bob was back, don't you think?"

"Pretty high time," answered the father, rising and hanging the stretched pelt on a nail in the wall, along side of others of his kind.

Jimmie went to the small cabin window and gazed out on the water-land world. On all sides stood great trees, gaunt and silent, with snow-laden branches reaching towards the leaden winter skies.

Suddenly he turned and sprang towards the door. "It's comin', dad," he cried, "I see old Rover trottin' up the trail. Bob won't be far behind him. I'm goin' down and meet him."

He snatched his fur cap from his peg and a puff of icy powdered snow struck him in the face as he stepped outside.

"Where's Bob, purp?" shouted Jimmie to the old dog who sprang up to lick his face in greeting, "you must have legged it home pretty fast; don't seem he's anywhere in sight yet."

The dog wagged his tail and gave a low whine, then he turned back on the path and took a few steps in the opposite direction.

"What's the matter with you?" asked the lad anxiously. Again the dog whined, looking up into Jimmie's face and taking little steps backward on the trail leading into the forest.

A moment later Jimmie burst into the cabin: "Somethin's happened to Bob," he cried, "I'm goin' back along the trail to look for him, dad. You stay here and keep up the fire; you won't be long 'cause he can't be very far away, else Rover wouldn't have left him."

And before the father could answer he had snatched his rifle from the rack and was outside, running with long smooth strides such as long treks through the Canadian woods had taught him to take untiringly,

down the trail, leaving for miles and miles into the thick forest, and now almost hidden beneath the shadows of the quick winter twilight.

The dog ran ahead of him, throwing his head back over his shaggy shoulder now and then to admit a short bark of encouragement. For half an hour Jimmie loped along, practised eyes glancing from side to side in search of his brother, hoping in his heart that he would not find him a huddled heap on the snow; for that, in the rigorous cold of the northern Canadian forest would mean but one thing.

All at once the dog, now quite a considerable distance ahead of him, stopped on the trail, and looked back at Jimmie.

"What is it, Rover?" asked the boy, bending to examine the snow in the fading light.

"Why there's three pairs of tracks, here," he said wonderingly, "and—" He stood up and gripping his rifle, peered on all sides of him.

The old dog stood restlessly towards the thick timber on the right of the trail. Not one second did Jimmie hesitate. With a low spoken, "quiet boy," he followed the dog into the gloomy forest. He did not have to watch for the tracks that led away somewhere into the wilderness, the dog did that. His part lay in finding the men who had overpowered his brother. What to do then he gave no thought to.

It seemed hours and hours to the lad before the actions of the dog showed that they were nearing the end of the search. The cold was piercing, relentless. It seemed to grip right hold of the boy's bones. But he paid no attention to the cold; he was thinking of something else.

Suddenly far ahead, through the trees, he discerned a blinding light. Ten minutes later he stood in a thicket of birch in the edge of a small clearing. Standing there, so close to him that he could have reached out and touched it, was a rough log cabin. Its one smoke-stained window pane was towards Jimmie and through it he saw two rough-looking men seated before a rude table. They were eating their supper, cutting bread from a huge loaf and dipping it in the plates of something that looked like partridge stew.

Lying on a pile of skins in a dark corner of the room, his hands and feet securely bound, was Bob. Jimmie, standing numb and shivering close beside the window, took minute stock of everything. He noticed that the rifles belonging to the men stood close beside each other against the wall farthest from them.

Between the men and their guns was the door. If he thought, he could only spring inside and get between them and their rifles, he would have the robbers at a disadvantage.

He saw one of the men put his hand in his pocket and take out a roll of bills. This he divided into two parts, passing one over to his watchful companion. Then he pushed his stool back from the table, and lifting a wooden bucket from a bench, pulled on his cap and mittens. Jimmie divined that he was going somewhere for a bucket of water.

The lid slipped around towards the door, the old dog close at his heels. A moment later a flood of candle light painted the white snow a sickly yellow, and the door slammed shut behind the man for whom Jimmie waited. As he shuffled forward along the edge of the shuffling forward along the edge of Jimmie, the lad glided out and along his heavy rifle brought it down on the fur-capped head with all the strength his cold-pinned arms could command.

That strength was quite sufficient for his purpose. Without so much as a groan, the man sank down on the snow. Waiting only to see if he were sufficiently disabled to make him no longer a menace Jimmie crept towards the door. The latch gave beneath his fingers and as he stepped into the room, rifle cocked and held in readiness, the other man spoke gruffly, "I told you the cold old drive ye back, Jackson."

Then he glanced up from the pile of money he was counting and slowly the color left his cheeks. Standing with his back to the door, his eyes looking along the barrel of a rifle stood Jimmie.

"Back up to that far corner," commanded the boy. "Now when," as the other quickly obeyed, "you stand there with your hands up. If you let 'em down, I'll peg you just as sure as my name's Jimmie McPherson. Now, Rover, you watch him."

The old dog, his back bristles erect, his long teeth gleaming in a snarl,

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Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to Five o'clock in the afternoon of FRIDAY, DECEMBER EIGHTH, 1916, for the purchase of one or more of the following parcels of Land:-

Section Eight (8) in Township Twenty-nine (29), Range one (1), West of the Fifth Meridian.

Parcel 1. 640 Acres, of which about 260 acres are cultivated. Fenced and cross-fenced. Large frame dwelling-house, with furnace-heated. Farm buildings including stables, barns, granaries, etc., well and windmill.

Section Nine (9) in Township Twenty-nine (29), Range one (1), West of the Fifth Meridian.

Parcel 2. 640 Acres, of which about 180 acres are cultivated. Fenced and cross-fenced. Large frame dwelling-house, with furnace-heating and water installation; also smaller frame dwelling-house. Ample farm buildings for stock and poultry, stalling, granaries, barns, etc.

Section Sixteen (16) in Township Twenty-nine (29), Range one (1), West of the Fifth Meridian.

Parcel 3. 640 Acres, of which about 50 acres are cultivated. Capable of further cultivation. Large area of good pasture and water. Fenced and cross-fenced. No buildings. Adjacent to sections Eight (8) and Nine (9).

Properties will be sold subject to reservations contained in existing Certificates of Title. Tenders must be accompanied by a marked cheque for 5 per cent of the purchase price. Balance 20 per cent in cash without interest within days from acceptance of tender, the balance of purchase price to be paid in three equal annual instalments, together with interest at 7 per cent per annum, payable on December 1st, 1917, 1918 and 1919.

The highest, or any tender, not necessarily accepted.

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Calgary, Alberta.

crept forward and stood in front of the ruffian. Still keeping his rifle at presentation, Jimmie felt in his belt a knock on the door and in stepped a couple of officers from the Settlement.

One of them explained that they were hunting for two desperadoes who had been committing sundry depredations throughout the Settlement.

When it was learned that the boys had effectively caught the men, and in what manner, they were warm in their praise of their pluck and strategy. One thing the oldest officer told them which they always remembered, and which served them well in after-life, and that was that the big men of Canada were bound to be the boys who were not afraid to face danger.

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A British Julius Caesar
Julius Caesar had a prominent namesake in Sir Julius Caesar, Master of the Rolls during the reign of James I, who married a niece of Bacon, and perhaps knew the key to the notorious "cypher." About him Lord Clarendon tells an amusing story. The unpopular Earl of Portland sat up all night in a barricaded house, with his friends and retainers armed to the teeth, because he had found in his pocket a slip of paper on which was written "Remember Caesar." Next day he found that this referred, not to the assassination of the Roman statesman, but to some pre-arranged promise to a son of Sir Julius Caesar. The tomb of Sir Julius Caesar, with a quaint epitaph in legal phraseology, is among the many curious monuments of St. Helen's, Bishopsgate.

Little Johnny, who had been studying history but a short time, thought he would give his grandfather a try-out on the subject, and asked: "Say, Gramp, what great war broke out in 1899?"

The old gentleman laid down his paper and looked thoughtfully at the boy for a moment, and then a sudden light dawned upon him.

"Why," he said, "that was the year I married your grandmother."—Harper's Magazine.

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It isn't alone the deliciously sweet nut-like taste of **Grape-Nuts** that has made the food famous, though taste makes first appeal, and goes a long way.

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Low Grade Grain That Can Be Used to Advantage in Feeding

At the present time there are daily passing through the Winnipeg stock yards scores of carloads of stocker and feeder cattle which are on their way from the farms of Manitoba and Saskatchewan to the farms of the Central and Western States. During the month of August, 4,899 head of cattle of all classes crossed the line from the Winnipeg yards, and this time there is a stocker and feeder movement had got under full steam. At the same time, there is in many parts of our own country a good deal of feed that will never be used, some of it grain that is scarcely worth threshing, but that could be used to feed a large number of animals.

This combination of circumstances makes especially timely a new circular on Winter Feeding of Cattle by the Animal Husbandry Department of Manitoba Agricultural College. This circular contains data as to actual results in previous Manitoba feeding experiments, and offers suggestions to those who are open to consider this line of enterprise. A free copy may be had by writing the Publications Branch, Department of Agriculture, Winnipeg, or Manitoba Agricultural College.

Advice to Dyspeptics

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In the case of dyspepsia, the appetite is variable. Sometimes it is ravenous, again it is often very poor. For this condition there is but one sure remedy—Dr. Hamilton's Pills—which cure quickly and thoroughly.

Sufferers find marked benefit in a day, and as time goes on improvement continues. No other medicine so thoroughly cleanses the stomach and digestive organs like Dr. Hamilton's Pills. They supply the materials and assistance necessary to convert the everything eaten into nourishment, into muscle, fibre and energy with which to build up the run-down system.

Why not cure your dyspepsia now? Get Dr. Hamilton's Pills today, 25c per box at all dealers.

Shopwalker: Do you realize that you are four hours selling those two women a yard of ribbon?

Saleswoman: I know, sir. But just as that got to the counter they discovered that they each had a baby just learning to talk.

THANKFUL MOTHERS

Thousands of thankful mothers throughout Canada—many of them your own neighbors—speak with the greatest praise of the splendid medicine, **Baby's Own Tablets**. Many mothers would have no other medicine for their little ones. Among these is Mrs. Albert Nie, St. Brice, Sask., who says: "I have been using Baby's Own Tablets for the past seven years and they have done my four children a world of good. I could not be without them."

The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25c a box from Brockville, Ont.

New Banking Device

Multiple Cheque Is Great Saver of Depositor's Time

The multiple cheque is the latest banking device to save depositors trouble. It has been brought out by a Boston trust company, and its chief use is to make it possible for a depositor to pay all his monthly bills by drawing one cheque on or about the first of the month.

The new cheque is precisely like the old style cheque, except that its size is much increased to give room at the bottom for writing a list of firms, with the sum set opposite each one which the drawer desires to pay. These are added up and the cheque for the total, payable to the bank, is duly filled out and signed.

That ends the bother of the depositor, for the bank does the rest. It deposits the sums named to the credit of such payees as happen to be depositors and remits to the others.

The payer may make entry of the firms and amounts paid on the stub of the cheque, or he may enter only the total, saving his statements of account for record.

The plan means more work for the bank and less for the depositor. But the bank gets its reward, no doubt, in the satisfaction of the patron and the consequent attraction of other patrons.

The bank cheque is a wonderful instrument of business. We have become so accustomed to it that we sometimes fail to appreciate its daily miracle. The invention of the multiple cheque shows that the use to which cheques may be put have by no means been exhausted.

Minard's Liniment for sale everywhere.

Hinkson: I hear your wife has been taking singing lessons?

Gibbs: Yes.

Hinkson: Well, what do you think of her voice since it's been trained?

Gibbs: It's no better, but there's a lot more of it!

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They Learn Nothing

Why is it that the idea can never seem to be eradicated from the German mind that the world can be conquered by terror? Why is it that the dreadful lessons of the last two years remain still unlearned by the Germans?

What of good, of profit, of advantage has flowed from the two years in which Germany has built up for her sons a reputation of being the animals throughout the civilized world? Has it aided German armies to conquer France, to take Verdun, to cause German soldiers have outraged French women, slaughtered French children, destroyed fine cathedrals, wrecked the homes, defiled the beautiful in northern France?—New York Tribune.

The world's population makes use of 2,500,000 glass eyes in the course of each year.

MOTHER LOVE AIDS SON IN TRENCHES

It Brings Relief to Boy Standing His Watch Deep In Mud.

Once upon a time, only a few months after this terrible world war had begun, Private Bailey, a soldier in the ranks, had stood for days in the trenches "somewhere in France." The cold rains soaked him to the skin; the mud was deep. He had had to rest weary and aching with rheumatic pains, he recalled the faith his mother had in Sloan's Liniment. He asked for it in his next letter home. A large bottle was immediately sent him and a few applications killed the pain, once more he was able to stand the severe exposure. He shared this wonderful muscle-soother with his comrades, and they all agreed it was the greatest "reinforcement" that had ever come to their rescue.

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Sloan's Liniment

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The first cold snap starts rheumatic pains and aches. You feel it in the knees climbing steps or in the back or shoulders. Joints are stiff, muscles are sore, every exertion is a painful reminder. You resign yourself to a session of torture. But there is relief at hand, Sloan's Liniment, easily applied without rubbing, it quickly penetrates and drives the crippling pain and disabling ache out of your system. Bending and lifting are no longer agony. Bruises, bumps and sprains following exercise quickly yield to its application and mothers have it handy for the numerous minor injuries to children that are more painful than dangerous. Sloan's Liniment quickly soothes. Lumbago, gout, neuralgia and kindred ills that put grown-ups in misery, chronic cold feet, toothache; in fact, all external pains are banished by Sloan's Liniment, and it does not stain the skin or clog the pores, a disagreeable feature of plasters and ointments.

Britain's Amazing Inventions
The British are manufacturing new war inventions which would turn the Krupp's green with envy," according to Dr. Benjamin Franklin, of Harvard University, who returned to New York recently from a visit to England.

Accorded privileges of inspection by the British Foreign Office, Dr. Frank said he visited munition and ordnance factories and saw "some astounding inventions," but that he was pledged not to disclose their nature. He found among every class, he said, an intense determination to do all possible to win the war. In one factory he saw 7,000 women at work, uniformed in khaki.

New factories were being built, he said, and existing ones constantly extended.

Cannon and the Clouds

Improbable That Cannonding Has an Appreciable Effect on Rainfall

By a remarkable coincidence the latter half of the year of 1914, and the whole of 1915 and 1916, so far as it has gone, have shown an excessive rainfall in many parts of America and Europe, a state of affairs that has given rise to many surmises concerning the relations between the discharge of great quantities of ammunition at the front in Europe and the heavy fall of moisture. In an address delivered recently before the British Rainfall Association a member of that body pointed out that it is highly improbable that even the great quantity of shells that have had any effect on precipitation. To illustrate this statement it was shown that in one month the excess of rainfall over an area of 58,000 square miles, which includes England and Wales, was 3-1/2 inches. The speaker went on to state that the excess represents over thirty billion tons of water and that this enormous quantity of water must have been carried over England and Wales to transport that water in the form of vapor must have been at least 100 times that amount in weight. Such staggering figures are sufficient evidence to show that the amount of force required to move masses of this magnitude is far beyond the power of man, and can be exerted even by modern nations at war.

Cataract Cannot Be Cured

APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease, cannot cure cataracts. Greatly influenced by constitutional conditions, cataracts are not cured by an internal remedy. Half-blindness is taken internally and acts on the system. Half-blindness is taken internally and acts on the system. Half-blindness is taken internally and acts on the system.

"Singular thing, isn't it?"

"What?"

"That people who are so different from us seem to be satisfied with themselves."—Boston Evening Transcript.

Minard's Liniment Relieves Neuralgia.

Ambitious Plans
"Are you prepared to do anything for the health?" asked the mission worker.

"I should say we are!" answered the capitalist, promptly. "We've sent some of our best salesmen to China, and I predict that in a short while hundreds of them will be doing business by being rides in the best motor car made in America."—Birmingham Age Herald.

The Last Asthma Attack may really be the last. Prompt measures are taken. Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy will safeguard you. It will penetrate the most congested bronchial passage and bring about a healthy condition. It always relieves and is completely safe. It is a permanent cure. "Why not get this long-famous remedy today and commence its use?" Inhalants, smoke or vapor it is equally effective.

"What is there about betting on horse races that is so bad for the health?" said young Mrs. Brown. "I never heard of anything," answered the visitor.

"Didn't you?" Every time Chailey makes a bet, he comes home and says there is something wrong with his system."

Minard's Liniment Co., Limited.

Gents.—A customer of ours cured a very bad case of distemper in a valuable horse by the use of MINARD'S LINIMENT.

Yours truly,
VILANDIE FRERES.

"Talk about cheek!" said the puppy. "Someone has gone and put up a building right over the place where I buried a bone."

A Carelessly Treated Cold

is the source of most sickness because drugged pills, syrups and alcoholic mixtures are uncertain and unsafe.

Scott's Emulsion has been relied upon by physicians for forty years as the safe and sensible remedy to suppress the cold and build up the enfeebled forces to avert throat and lung troubles. Don't tolerate alcoholic substitutes, but insist on the Genuine Scott's Emulsion. One bottle usually lasts longer than a cold. Every druggist has it.

MOTHERS

REMEMBER! The ointment you put on your child's skin gets into the system just as surely as food the child eats. Don't let impure fats and mineral coloring matter (such as many of the cheap ointments contain) get into your child's blood! ZAM-BUK is purely herbal. No poisonous coloring. Use it always. 50c. Box at All Druggists and Stores.

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MATCHES

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ALWAYS ASK FOR
EDDY'S

Affection's Pangs
"Do you love your country?"

"Of course I do," replied Senator Sorghum. "And I don't mind saying that it gets me tired to see my country flirting with people who don't belong to my political party."—Washington Star.

One of the commonest complaints of infants is worms, and the most effective application for them is Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator.

At an American eating station an old colored man was ringing a bell, and a little dog sat beside him howling dismally. The old man turned to him and said, "What you bollerin' for? You don't have to eat here."

To Investors

THOSE WHO, FROM TIME TO TIME, HAVE FUNDS REQUIRING INVESTMENT, MAY PURCHASE AT PAR

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IN SUMS OF \$500 OR ANY MULTIPLE THEREOF.

Principal repayable 1st October, 1919.
Interest payable half-yearly, 1st April and 1st October by cheque (free of exchange at any chartered Bank in Canada) at the rate of five per cent per annum from the date of purchase.

Holders of this stock will have the privilege of surrendering at par and accrued interest, as the equivalent of cash, in payment of any allotment made under any future war loan issue in Canada other than an issue of Treasury Bills or other like short date security.

Proceeds of this stock are for war purposes only.
A commission of one-quarter of one per cent will be allowed to recognized bond and stock brokers on allotments made in respect of applications for this stock which bear their stamp.

For application forms apply to the Deputy Minister of Finance, Ottawa.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, OTTAWA,
OCTOBER 7th, 1918.



New Prices August 1, 1916

The following prices for Ford cars will be effective on and after August 1st, 1916

Chassis	\$450.00
Runabout	475.00
Touring Car	495.00
Couplet	695.00
Town Car	780.00
Sedan	890.00

f. o. b. Ford, Ontario

These prices are positively guaranteed against any reduction before August 1st 1917, but there is no guarantee against an advance in price at any time.

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Doctors and others who have occasion to make frequent stops and starts of the motor develop often what appears to be a defect in the electrical system. The probability is, when the car is started, that the battery current has rapidly been used up while no fresh supply has been generated. Look first to your storage battery under such conditions. It is not likely there is anything seriously wrong.

Canadian Patriotic Fund

Receipts from South Alberta

Constituencies.

	October.	Sept. 1st to Oct. 31st, 1916.
Acadia	\$ 20.00	1,276.75
Bow Valley	12,108.87	20,358.87
Calgary	5.25	80.25
Carleton	5.25	485.00
Clareholm	635.15	635.15
Cochrane	950.00	1,033.85
Crowsnest	1,025.00	2,289.90
Edmonton	283.15	783.15
Grand Hills	207.00	252.00
High River	130.50	155.50
Immifall	20.00	130.30
Little Bow	111.00	208.10
Lethbridge	5,504.00	5,504.00
Medicine Hat		300.00
Redcliff	700.00	700.00
Rocky Mountain	290.25	420.25
Stettin	1,137.50	1,187.00
Olds	243.00	419.00
Pincher Creek	207.00	337.00
Red Deer		1,000.00
Rocky Mountain	2,546.00	1,000.00
Stettin	786.00	1,786.00
Talbot	2,106.00	2,106.30
Warner	1.00	1.00
Total	\$29,983.70	\$46,783.07

Provincial Government Employees.

Staff of University of Alberta

Personal Contributions

Total

\$36,224.92 **\$60,187.07**

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CROSSFIELD, ALTA., NOV. 24, 1916.

Information for Potato Growers and Shippers

The has been considerable activity in the shipping of western potatoes this season owing to the failure of the crop in Ontario and certain parts of the States, and to the production of a surplus in the Western Provinces of Canada. While the eastern demand is sufficiently strong to ensure profitable prices to western producers, higher prices are being paid by dealers who are supplying the United States markets.

Under the regulations of the United States Department of Agriculture, the importation of potatoes is prohibited from certain countries on account of the presence in those countries of the disease known as potato wart or black scab. The Canadian product is not under an embargo on this account but is subject to inspection at the boundary. Already there has been a considerable movement of potatoes to United States markets from British Columbia, Manitoba and Saskatchewan. Nine cars, however, have been rejected at the boundary. Several cars have already been shipped from Alberta and to date all have passed inspection. The possibility of a profitable business depends upon the condition in which potatoes go forward and there is a considerable surplus in Alberta yet to be shipped.

While the dealer is the one who is directly affected by the rejection of shipments, the producers must ultimately suffer the results if the United States markets should be closed against Canadian potatoes. The Department of Agriculture for the Province is desirous of seeing the potato growers protect themselves to the fullest degree possible by meeting the conditions demanded by the United States Horticultural Board. According to the regulations of the Department of Agriculture has been in communication with the United States Federal Department with a view to having provincial inspection at shipping point accepted in place of federal inspection at the boundary. It is evident that there is a risk of rejection at the port of entry with the consequent hardship to the shipper and the danger of permanent injury to the market. After some correspondence the Department has been advised that inspection by United States officials must be made at the boundary regardless of any previous inspection.

The regulations state that cars will not be condemned by reason of the infection of a small percentage of tubers with such common diseases as scab, black leg, fusarium wilt and dry rot, but a general condition of disease from these troubles will lead to the refusal of the shipment. It should be the aim of producers and dealers to keep all potatoes so affected out of their shipments.

DUNCAN MARSHALL,
Minister of Agriculture.

Empire Defenders.

We print below a list of the men from the Crossfield district who have joined the ranks of our Empire Defenders.

Should any names have been omitted and any of our readers be able to supply us with the same we should be glad to include same.

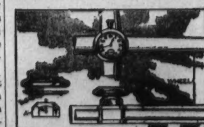
Lieut. Col. R. L. Boyle, 10th Batt.
Killed in Action.
W. G. R. Mundell, Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry.
Charles Thomas, 10th. Band.
C. J. Urquhart, 12th Mounted Rifles.
John Cleaver, " "
Jas. Watt, " "
W. H. Borton, " "
R. Lewis, " "
D. R. Lewis, " "
Robt. Salter, 31st Batt.
Jerry Fuller, " "
Cyril Fuller, " "
S. Hunter, " "
L. L. Brown, " "
Lieut. M. L. Boyle, 4th Batt.
Frank Laveck, 50th Batt.
Clyde Starrock, " "
John Gidralith, " "
R. McDonald, " "
P. G. Swann, 51st Batt.
W. G. Clark, " "
Harry Fenwick, 60th Batt.
Jas. Collins, " "
Charles Collins, " "
R. Landburgh, " "
Fred Blake, " "
C. W. H. Atkinson, Medical Corps.
Bugler J. H. Whitfield, 8th Field Amb.
A. Fraser, 4th Field Co. Engineers
A. R. V. Dyke
Capt. F. Thorpe
Bert Horvick
Charlie Knight, 31st Batt.
David Grant, " "
Harry Oudlow, " "
G. T. Cornwell, 82nd Batt.
Bert Woldage, " "
Jas. Moss, " "
L. G. Fisher, " "
J. E. Gorton, 82nd Batt.
Dan McPhee, " "
Hiram Walsh, " "
S. Dawson, 50th Batt.
Sergeant Douglas Hall, 97th Batt.
W. A. M. Hallett, 80th Batt.
James Engelen, 157th Battalion
George Smith, " "
John Todge, 137th Batt.
Lewis Hughes, 137th Batt.
Addison McFadyen, " "
G. Benson, " "
Wm. Merrick, 115th Batt.
Jno. Morrison, 113th Batt.
Jno. McElroy, " "
Hugh McIntyre, " "
Sam Shepard, " "
Frank Mossey, " "
Geo. Yellowless, " "
Wiel Vavasseur, " "
Lloyd J. Havens, 13th Mounted
A. E. Barnes, " "
Gordon Wynn, " "
Harry Singleton, " "
Jerry Marston, 14th Mounted
Bob Elliott, 137th Batt.
Jack Elliott, " "
Fred Stevens, 138, " "
E. Gorton, 137th Batt.
Wm. Milne, 113th Batt.
Alf. Bailey, 211th " "
Levi Bone, 187th Batt.
R. Peacock, " "
Wm. Urquhart, " "
Douglas Lee, " "
E. E. Edwards, " "
C. Burgess, " "
Wm. Wilson, " "
Ivor Lewis, 187th Batt.
A. Fisher, " "
D. Cumming, " "
J. Cavanaugh, " "
J. Robinson, " "
A. Landmore, " "
H. Vanlach, " "
Chas. Oldacre, " "
Dan McFadyen, " "
P. Nichols, " "
H. McCoil, " "
Harold Edward, " "
Art Gibson, " "
O. Alexander, " "

Besides there are some who have very recently removed from Alberta and are well known, and have enlisted elsewhere:
Bruce Knox, 50th Batt.
R. H. Hunter, 13th Mounted
A. C. Witter, " "
Walter Goodland, 50th Batt. Corporal.
Bert Collins, 17th Signal Reserve.
Jesse Fike
F. Eykelboach
J. Leveson
Frank R. Parker, Senr.
W. R. Edward, 50th Batt.
Donald MacLennan, 12th Mounted
George Downing
George Blanchard
R. E. Bishop
Neil McCrimmon

WATCH FOR MOTORISTS

How To Fit Timepiece To Steering Post of Automobile

To fill the need for an automobile timepiece, we have devised an inexpensive watch to the top of the steering post, as shown in the sketch, back as desired. The back plate of the watch was removed and a hole drilled through its center. A pin to fit the hole was riveted into the nut A, which held the steering wheel in place. The back was riveted on top of the nut and the watch was screwed to the back. This simple method of fastening proved satisfactory, and since the watch was a cheap one, it was not likely to be stolen—Popular Mechanism.



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Mr. Smoker a Word Please

We are asked to start a Subscription list at our office for the purpose of raising funds to purchase tobacco for the Canadian soldiers at the front who are greatly in need of it.

The money will be sent to the Calgary Herald Tobacco Fund, and the names of those donating will be published in both The Chronicle and the Calgary Herald and a post card addressed to you is enclosed in every 25c package you subscribe for, which enables the happy soldier who receives your gift to write and thank you personally when he can do so.

More than 25,000 packages have already been sent through this fund but the work is only just beginning and more assistance is needed. Just think of the pleasure it will be to some fellow in the trenches without the wherewithal to get a smoke, and no chance to buy it, and someone comes along and hands him a neat little packet of tobacco.

Subscription list at the Chronicle office. Come in and put down a quarter, you'll enjoy your next smoke better after doing it.

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No. 42

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Visiting Brothers Welcome.

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Crossfield School District No. 752

The REGULAR MEETING of the above school board will be held at the School House at 10 a. m. on the first Saturday in the following months: January, March, May, July, September and November. All matters of business pertaining to this district will be attended to at this meeting.

The office of the Sec.-Treas. is in the Crossfield Drug Store.
A. R. Thomas, Chairman.
Merrick Thomas, Sec.-Treas.

Council Meetings

The council of the Village of Crossfield will meet in the Council Chamber over Fire Hall on the first Monday of each month, commencing with February at the hour of 8 o'clock p.m.
By Order of the Village Council.
51-52 - W. McRory, Sec.-Treas.

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